

I-270 Bridge Deck Replacements

Project Construction Update

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This picture shows the new bridge deck at Little Bennett Creek on the southbound side of I-270.

- Please watch for new traffic patterns.
- Observe new signs and flaggers during lane closures
- Please drive carefully through work zone and beyond
- Watch for construction equipment and working crews



This picture shows crews removing the temporary bridge over Little Bennett Creek from the median on southbound I-270.

Current Progress:

1. We have completed pouring the new bridge deck over Little Bennett Creek on southbound I-270 (pictured at top left).
2. We have removed the temporary bridge from the median at Little Bennett Creek (pictured at lower left) and will be removing the temporary roadway in the median and placing topsoil and seed.

Upcoming work schedule:

1. Immediately after the ramp traffic switch at MD 80, we will remove the remaining portion of the bridge.
2. We are awaiting delivery of a new beam for the MD 80 bridge on the southbound side of I-270. Delivery is anticipated after Labor Day.
3. Crews will continue to construct the new bridge decks on southbound I-270 over MD 80 and over Little Bennett Creek.

Please note:

- **Nighttime closures of MD 80** at the I-270 overpass will continue to occur between 9 p.m. and 5 a.m., Sunday nights through Thursday nights. Please follow the signed detour route.
- **Automated Speed Enforcement** is in effect on both northbound and southbound I-270 between MD 80 and the Little Bennett Creek Bridge. The reduced speed limit is set at **55MPH**.

On behalf of Maryland State Highway Administration, I would like to request your cooperation and patience. Please drive with caution through our work zone.

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